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Cal Poly History Professor, Honors Program Director Accepts Posts at LSU

SAN LUIS OBISPO -- After 13 years at Cal Poly, Nancy L. Clark, history professor and director of the university's Honors Program since its inception in 1998, has accepted a position as dean of the Honors College and professor of history at Louisiana State University, effective fall 2003.

"Nancy Clark will be sorely missed," Provost Paul Zingg said. "Her energy and enthusiasm have contributed greatly to the success of our new Honors Program, which has grown to include around 250 students in just over three years. Needless to say, however, we wish her luck in her new position, which represents a significant advance in her career."

Vice Provost David Conn said, "During a period when the competition for resources has been fierce, Nancy has helped to firmly establish the Honors Program at Cal Poly. I'm especially pleased to note that, with her encouragement, the Honors students have adopted for themselves a commitment to community service. This is a truly commendable action on the part of many of our brightest students."

A recruitment for Clark's successor will commence fall quarter.

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(NOTE TO EDITORS: For an electronic image of Nancy Clark, please contact Jo Ann Lloyd at 756-1511 or jlloyd@calpoly.edu.)

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